Previous references.

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Later references.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 5 - 10

Part B. for November 1915

SUBJECT

Archakship of Sri Rama Dewar temple at Holavanahalli in Pagere Sub Tk.

To The Dy Commr Tumkur Dt & Comptroller.
Nos 1315-6 dy 30.11.15

Passes orders on the succession to

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(Mangnai)

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File No. 377-09

FILE HEADING.

Archakship of Sri Rama Devaru Temple at Holavanahalli in the Kortagere Sub-Taluk.

From

Narayanacharya, late Archak.

No. Petition Dated 13.2.1912 Received

Diary No. 1225	Enclos. 2 Spare Copies.	Serial No. 5

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Repeats his prayer for the said post being registered in the name of his minor son -

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Previous references are herewith submitted The petition seems to be for review of ~~is an appeal against~~ the order of Govt conveyed in G.O. no 139 Dy 2-12-1911 (Sl. 4 of 377-09). Narayanachar prays that the Archakship in question may be made out in

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the name of his minor son, the duties being discharged by his brother and if the latter is not acceptable to the manager of the temple, by any Gumastha that may be appointed by him - He further states that if this is not possible, with a view to preserve his hak, something may be paid to him from the temple funds for his maintenance till his son comes of age. He adds that there are orders directing that in the absence of heirs in the Hakdar's family, Govt may appoint a new man, and promises to produce copies if directed.

Submitted for orders.

AVC 13/9
9/3/1912

The Petr may be sent to the Dy Com^r for report with records.

SLG
9-3-12

The Govt have passed no orders in the case. The Dy Comr was directed to communicate his decision to the party leaving him to appeal if he thought fit. (vide the Subramanya Iyer's note dy 24-11-11 in file 377-19--2) Hence they [illegible]

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	appeal and a report & records called for - [illegible] 7.5.12
	N.V. Drafts put up. [illegible] (74) 8.5.12 Issue [illegible] 9.5.12.
6	20 The Dy Commr Tumkur D.dtd No 2726 Dy 13.5.1912 Forwards the petn for report —— Encl to petr. No. 2727 Dy 13.5.1912
7.	From, the Dy Commr, Tumkur Dist. No. 192 Dy 14th Octr 1912. Submits further report called for in Sl. 6- The Dy. Commrs. report clearly explains the facts of the case- The circs. which led to the removal of Archak Narayanachar from the Archak-ship of the temples at Holavanahalli are contained in G.O. No. 1615-17 Dy 5.12.03. The Archak memorialized H.H. the Maharaja and the Dy Commrs. ~~report~~ letter no. 147 Dy 20th Octr 1911, received as the memorial, was recorded in G.O. no. 139 Dy 2nd Decr 1911 (Vide Mur. 7 no. 377-09 put up). As observed in the 1st Secretary's note on the

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page 2, the Dy Commr was directed in the order of 2nd Decr 1911 to Communicate his decision to the party. The Dy. Commr (no. 635 Dy 6.12.11) Encl. subsequently issued says that the petrs. brother cannot be appointed as the Archak against the wishes of the temple manager and that the question of appointing the petrs. minor son will be considered after the boy attains his majority. The petr prays that this order may be re-considered. The Dy. Commr adds that since no new grounds are urged in the present petition, he sees no reason to come to any different conclusion from that reached in December last

Submitted
AV(132)
28.11.12

29.11.12

Subd 5th Dec.

The appellant was removed from his hereditary office of the manager of the temple, the management of which was hereditarily vested by a Sanad in the family of the present manager. The Dy Comr is right in his opinion that the appointment of the appellant's son as the Pujari [illegible]

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Government is not ready to endorse the smooth working and in effect defeat the intention of the Govt. order.

The case may be posted and the appellant heard if necessary

hrs
20.5.13

The Petr may be asked to appear before me -

25/5/13

hrs
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Petr heard -

Off. notes & submd

There is no reason to reconsider the order. But apparently no attempt has been made to install a worshipper of the Pancharatra sect, by the Manager. If this state of things is allowed, it would virtually amount to setting aside the appellant's ~~right~~ family altogether - giving the

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puja back to the Manager.

The Dy C= may ~~direct~~ ~~the Asstdar to~~ enquire ~~whether the Manager will~~ & report whether the Manager & the appt cannot compromise the matter — by, appts the ~~pet's~~ appt's son & taking work from appt's brother, provided the latter agrees to work in due subordination to the Manager —

9/11/13

Submitted with a draft letter

15/9/13

appt sending receipt of a reply, no communication from peti appears to have been

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8	To The Dy Commissioner Tumkur Dt No. 132 Dy/18-7-13 Calls for further information on the petition of Narayanachar of Halavenhalli re. the Archak's post of Sri Rama Devara Temple at the place
9.	From, the Dy Commr, Tumkur Dt Letter no. 115 Dy 2d Septr 1915. Submits further report called for in Serial 8.
A	Attention is respectfully invited to the Amildar's report no. 160 Dy 2d novembr 1914, and the Sub Divl officer's report no. 1043 Dy 21-4-1915.
C	It will be seen from these reports that the manager and Archak Ramachar (appellant) cannot be brought together for any compromise, but with a view to preserve the apltt's hak, it is recommended that the varavard be made out in the name of the apltt's minor son (Srinivasaraghavachar), the duties being attended to by the apltt.
H	brother Srinivasachar who agrees to work in due subordination

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to the manager of the Temple. Srinivasachar is the Archak of Maddagiri Venkataramana Swami Temple, and agrees to make separate arrangements for worship therein.

The Dy. Commr points out that the forms of worship in vogue in the Temple was Vaikhanasa and not Pancharatra (Attention is invited to the 1st Para of G.O. No 1615-17 Dy 5th December 1903).

The Amildar also states that the manager has not been submitting monthly accounts as directed in para 2 of the above order and the manager has been warned to act up to the orders of Govt.

Submtd. for orders

N (94)
6.9.1915.

Draft sanctioning the proposal after D.C.

Submtd. with a Dft order

N (94)
12.10.1915

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Has the manager been consulted as regards the appointment as Gumasta of Nadapuram's brother. Has he anything to say as why he has not appointed to the place as yet. Are Archak of the Vaikhanasa Agama

Sub to 1st member.

The manager Ramanathan failed to appear before the Amildar even after the time taken by him and when the Amildar met and asked him to arrive at some compromise, his attitude was unconciliatory. The Amildar thinks that the manager's intention is that the Archakship should not go to any person connected with Varamacharis.

On the other hands the manager has not taken any steps to recommend for the appointment of the Srivaishnava Archak of the Vaikhanasa Agama though it is now nearly [illegible]

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Since the order of Govt. was passed. Taking into consideration the contention of Ramyacha that the temple was originally consecrated according to Sankha Sara (Madhva) and that neither a Srivaishnava nor an Aparnika Archak was indispensable, it is not unlikely that his intention is to keep on the Madhva Archak as long as possible. This would be virtually giving the manager the right to change the form of worship and appoint his own Archak.

(Petition dt 14-11-03)
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In the order of 5th Dec. 1903 the local officers were desired to choose the successor and in that choice no voice has been given to the manager. Both the Dt Collector and the Subdiv. Offr recommend that the Baramahal maybe made out in the name of the minor Sons Paramachar and that the latter's brother may be appointed as Gumasta, he having undertaken to obey the directions of the manager. Dt 5th Dec.

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(Paper under disposal)

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has not said anything about the suitability of the proposed arrangement. It may be noted however that a former Dy Comr (Mr. M. Rama Rao) was of opinion that it was inexpedient to appoint such a near relation of Baravandas against the wishes of the manager and that the registry of Baravand in the name of the minor should be considered when he comes of age and is found competent.

Fg. H)

By the arrangement now proposed is considered unsuitable the local officer may be desired to appoint some other qualified person. It may be noted that it is not easy to obtain Vaishnava Archaks particularly when the remuneration is not very tempting — the pay proposed in this case is only Rs 24 per annum. There appears to be no harm however in registering the minor (now nearly 8 years old) as the Baravandar.

(Vide scale attached to G. O. No. 5-12-1903)
Fg. Y.

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failure to file any figs. has been avoided. ~~Need not~~ may be made in Hindi for—
& has since been framed.
& warning should be given to
of the boy has not been
verified if the time be
extended, he will be discharged

Please move in the
order

15/11/15

Draft for
11/11/15

Submitted with a draft order
DV (95) 8L
17.11.15

Lahore 17th November
Lee
22.11.15

Draft approved by First member
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10	WOs 1315-16 dt 30-11-15, Dy Comr, Dumka & Comptr Govt, directg the registry of the bar-award of Mr Pice in the name of the minor Sm[illegible] a Raghubar acharya & the Sm[illegible] acharya, appts' within the discharge the duties thereof [illegible] minor's property [illegible] to the [illegible]

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No 1225 13-2-12

No 2727 Dt 13th May 1912.

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By Order,

9.5.12

Secretary.

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The Off g: Deputy Commr
Tinnevelly District.

To
The Secretary to the Govt of Madras,
General & Rev Departments.
(Through)

Dated 14th } October 1912
Despatched 17th }

Received

General No. 1792
No.

Enclosure No. Files

In forwarding herewith a report on the petition from one Parasuram Ayyar of Kolavanakallu praying that the Archaka post of the Sri Ramadevaru may be registered in the name of his minor Son, I state that there is no reason to come to any different conclusion from that already arrived at.

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Office of the
Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur District,
Dated Tumkur 14th October 1912.

From,

C.S.Balasundaram Iyer Esqr., B.A.,
Offg: Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District.

To,

K.R.Sreenivasa Iyengar Esqr., M.A.,
Offg: Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
General and Revenue Departments (MJZRZI),
B a n g a l o r e.

Sir,

With reference to your Official Memorandum No.2726/Muz: 377-09-6 dated the 13th May 1912 forwarding for report petition from one Naranachar of Holavanahelli, Koratagere Sub-Taluk, praying that the Archak's post of the Sri Ramadevaru Temple at the place may be registered in the name of his minor Son etc, I have the honor to state as follows:-

1. The circumstances that led to the dismissal of the petitioner are given in the correspondence ending with Government Order No.1615-17/Mis: F.9-94 dated the 5th December 1903.

2. In connection with carrying out the directions given in that Government Order the petitioner presented a Memorial to His Highness in 1909, which formed the subject of a report No.147 dated the 20th October 1911 from my predecessor and on which Government passed orders in Government Order No. 1309-Muz:F. 377-09-11 dated the 2nd December 1911 concurring with the views expressed by the Deputy Commissioner.

3. The Deputy Commissioner's decession was communicated to the petitioner by endorsement a copy of which is attached to the petition now under report.

4. The present petition apparently asks for a reconsideration

reconsideration of the decision arrived at in December 1911, but since no new arguments are urged, I see no reason to come to any different conclusion from that reached then.

5. The vernacular records and the petition under report are forwarded for reference with the request that the former may be kindly returned when done with.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

A. Sy. Duthurman

Asstt Commissioner
For Offg: Deputy Commissioner.
Absent from the Station.

TBM.

Rama Devaru Temple at the place]

Diary No. of letter replied to 167

No. 132 Emp-la

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To

The Dy Commr,
Tumkur Dist

Date of issue 18. 7. 1913

Signed by W.C. Aravamudachar

Sir,

Adverting to your letter no 192 Dy 14th October 1912 reporting on the petition of Narayanachar of Holavanahalli re the Archak's post of the Sri Rama Devaru Temple at the place, I am directed to state that the petn was heard by Govt on the 9th instant Govt do not see any reason to

over.

SUBJECT

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17/7.

~~to reconsider the order already~~
~~passed in the case. But~~ to observe that.
apparently no attempt has been
made to instal a worshipper
of the Pancharátra sect by
the manager of the temple.
If this state of things is allowed,
it would virtually amount to
setting aside the aplts' family
altogether and giving the
puja right to the manager
I am to request you to
enquire and report, whether
the manager and the aplt
cannot compromise the matter
by appointing the aplts' son
and taking work from aplts'
brother, provided the latter
agrees to work in due sub-
ordination to the manager
I have etc.

(Cis. order)

for Secretary.

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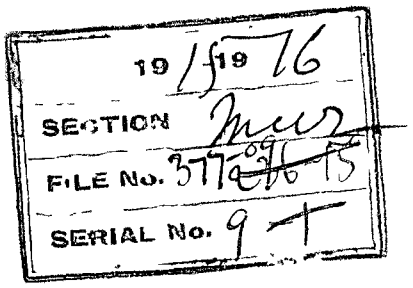

The Deputy Commissioner,

Tumkur District.

To

The Secretary to Govt.,

Revenue Department,

Bangalore.

Dated 2nd September 1915.

Despatched 3rd

Received 11th

General No.

No. 151

Enclosure No. 1 Jacket

Forwards records in the matter of the appointment to the archka's post of Sri Ramadevaru temple at Holavanahalli.

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Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District,
Dated, Tumkur the 2nd September 1915.

From

K. R. Srinivasiengar, Esqr., M.A.,
Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District.

To

V. R. Thyagaraja Iyer, Esqr., M.A.,
Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore, Revenue Department,
B A N G A L O R E.

S i r,

Referring to your letter No.132/Muz.377-09-8 dated 18th July 1913 in the matter of the appointment to the archak's post of Sri-Ramadevara temple at Holavanhalli, I have the honour to forward herewith the records ending with Kanarese communication No.1043 dated 21st April 1915 from the Sub Division Officer, Maddagiri, from which it will be seen that the manager and the appellant archak Narnachar cannot be brought together for any compromise on the lines suggested.

I may here point out from the previous records it will be seen that the forms of worship in vogue in the temple was Vaikhanasa and not Pancharatra as stated in the communication under reply.

I have the honour to be
S i r,
Your most obedient servant,

Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District.

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Rama Devara
Holavanahalli
Sub Taluk

File No

Serial No.

Diary No. of letter replied to 409

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.
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READ—

Govt Pro no 1615-17/ M. 2. 9-94 dy 5-12-1903 approving of the Removal of Namachar from the Archakship of Sri Rama Devara Temple at Holavanahalli, Kortagere Sub-Taluk and directing that a successor to the post should be selected out of Namachar's family & writing

Date of issue

Signed by

ORDER THEREON.—No

SUBJECT.

and ~~a~~ Competent person
to discharge the duties of
the office ~~is~~ was available
and that on failure,
another Competent person
should be chosen so as to
have the Vaikhanasa
form of worship continued.

Petition regd. no. 1225
dy 13th February 1912 from
Narasachar, late Archak,
appealing against the Dy.
Commr. in declining
to register the office in the
name of his minor son and also
his brother Srinivasachar,
~~being allowed~~
to discharge the duties
during the minority.

Correspondence ending with
letter no. 115 dy 2d Septr 15
from the Dy. Commr,
Tumkur Distt, reporting
on the above.

Order Therein

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No 1315-6 Emp fee.
Mur 377-09-10

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In the last order of 5th Dec 1903 read above, the removal of Namachar from the Archak-ship of the Temple was ordered as he failed to work in due subordination to the Manager and the Dy. Commissioner was desired to choose a suitable successor from the family of the dismissed Archak and in default to choose another fit person to ~~work in~~ carry on the traditional form.

Namachar applied to the Dy. Commr that his minor son may be appointed to the office and that during his minority his brother-

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Srinivasachar who was
Competent, may be allowed
to discharge the duties.
The Manager Ranjachar
who was consulted, was
unwilling to have Srinivasachar
as Archak and the
Dy. Commr ordered
that it was inexpedient
to have Srinivasachar,
as Sumastha and that
the claims of the minor
Son would be considered
when he comes of age
and is qualified.

Against this order,
Narnachar appealed to
Supt. The connected
records were called for
and perused and the
appellant was also
heard in person. As it
appeared that no attempt
was made to select

a suitable room Carry on the worship according to the original form, the Dy. Commr was desired to report whether the Manager and the appellant cannot arrive at a compromise on the basis of the apltt. minor on being appointed to the office and his brother Srinivasachar performing the duties during the minority; the latter undertaking to work in due subordination to the manager.

The Dy. Commr now reports that the attitude of the Manager was still unconciliatory ~~and that~~ He is apparently

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Unwilling
~~does not wish~~ to have
as archak any person
Connected with the
appellant. ~~This is a~~ And in the meanwhile his nominee is doing the duties of the office. This is a
State of things which
Cannot be allowed,
as it would virtually
amount to setting aside
the aplts family altogether
and giving the right
to appoint the archak
to the manager. As the
manager has failed to
take any steps to restore
the original form of
worship, Govt are pleased
to direct that the office
shall be registered
in the name of the
aplts minor son,
Srinivasa Raghavachar
and that Srinivasachar
the mother of the aplt
shall discharge the

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during the minority in due subordination to the Manager Ranjachar who shall give the necessary facilities for the proper conduct of worship.

The apltt and his minor son are further warned, that in case the latter fails to qualify himself for the conduct of worship on his attaining majority, his removal from the office will be ordered. And that he will forfeit all claims to the same.

25/10/15

For Rev. Secretary.

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The Dy. Commr. Tanjore D.O. No. 70, returning the records.

" Comptr. Fort St. George.